Approved for use through 07/31/2006, OMB 0651-0031
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Date Considered

				Complete	f Known
Sees tufe for form 1449				Application Number	09/849736
ั้ยู\ท	FORMATION [DISCLOSUF	RE	Filing Date	5/4/2001
JUL 1 1 2005 y 5	ratement by	' APPLICAN	IT	First Named Inventor	G. Glenn Henry
	(Use as many sheet	s as necessary)		Art Unit	2183
CODE NO. 1				Examiner Name	David Huisman
Sheet	1	of	2	Attorney Docket Number	CNTR.2021

Examiner	Cite	Document Number	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or	Pages, Columns, Lines,	
Initials! · ·	'No.'	Number-Kind Code ² (if known)	MM-DD-YYYY	Applicant of Cited Document	where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	
0011		5706491	01-06-1998	Steven C. McMahan		
ont		5313634	05-17-1994	James Eickemeyer		
07)t		5961629	10-05-1999	Nguyen et al		
100t		5832289	11-03-1998	Shaw et al		
007+		5828901	10-27-1998	O'Toole et al		
OOH		5864707	01-26-1999	Tran et al		
007+		6035391	03-07-2000	David L. Isaman		
007+		6081884	06-27-2000	Paul K. Miller		
NOH		6250821	06-26-2001	Greg Schwendinger		
Nort		5805877	09-08-1998	Black et al		
001+		6233676	05-15-2001	Henry et al	,	
1)07/		5623615	04-22-1997	Salem et al		
DOH		6175897	01-16-2001	Ryan et al		
400		5734881	03-31-1998	White et al		
1001		6260138	07-10-2001	Jeremy G. Hamis		
207		6823444	11-23-2004	Henry et al		
MAH		6256727	07-03-2001	Robert Greg McDonald		
(DH		5931944	08-03-1999	Ginosar et al		
m		5881260	03-09-1999	Raje et al		
nont		4860197	08-22-1989	Langendorf et al		
			02-18-1997	Hoyt et al		
0014		6134654	10-17-2000	Patel et al		
107A		4181942	01-01-1980	Forster et al		
DOH		5687349	11-11-1997	Ralph C. McGarity		
1001		6279105	08-21-2001	Konigsburg et al		

Examiner: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant. 'Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). 'See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.usnto.gov or MPEP 901.04. 'Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). 'For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document.' Stind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. 'Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

This collection of information is required by 27 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 2 hours to complete including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time your require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patients, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in composition the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 (1-800-786-9199) and select option 2.

Examiner

Signature

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 (1-800-786-9199) and select option 2.

Approved for use through 07/31/2006. OMB 0651-0031 U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMR continuity number

			<u> </u>	Complete	
Substitute for form 144				Application Number	09/849736
11/62	NFORMATION	DISCLOSU	RE	Filing Date	5/4/2001
JUL 1 1 2005 US	TATEMENT BY	APPLICA	NT	First Named Inventor	G. Glenn Henry
\vec{k}	(Use as many shee	is as necessary)		Art Unit	2183
E MAS	·		******	Examiner Name	David Huisman
Sheet	2	of	2	Attorney Docket Number	CNTR.2021

Examiner Initials*	Cite No.	Document Number Number-Kind Code ² (if known)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, where Relevant Passages or Relevant
					Figures Appear
007		5881265	03-09-1999	McFarland et al	
0071		5968169	10-19-1999	James K. Pickett	4
0077		6085311	07-04-2000	Narayan et al	
001t		6308259	10-23-2001	David B. Witt	
Ont		5623614	04-22-1997	Van Dyke et al	
1011		5768576	06-16-1998	Hoyt et al	
(D)		6170054	01-02-2001	Mitchell Alexander Poplingher	
ODA		6279106	08-21-2001	James S. Roberts	
ω		5721855	02-24-1998	Hinton et al	
001+		4200927	04-29-1980	Hughes et al	
400		6185676	02-06-2001	Poplingher et al.	
400		5394530	02-28-1995	Mayumi Kitta	
007t		20040030866	02-12-2004	Thomas C. McDonald	
007		20050044343	02-24-2005	Henry et al.	
1001)		20040139281	07-15-2004	Thomas C. McDonald	
OTH		20040139301	07-15-2004	Thomas C. McDonald	
007+		20040143727	07-22-2004	Thomas C. McDonald	
hont		20040143709	07-22-2004	Thomas C. McDonald	
m)		20040139292	07-15-2004	Thomas C. McDonald	
DOIL		20050076193	04-07-2005	Henry et al.	

		NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS	
Examiner Initials*	Cite No. ¹	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.	T²
Dort	AA	IEEE 100, The Authoritative Dictionary of IEEE Standard Terms, Seventh Edition. The Institute of Electrical Engineering, Inc. New York: Standards Information Network IEEE Press Page 135.	

	-	1		
Examiner	41.1	1- Marin	Date	11-10 10
Signature		7 00000	Considere	ed 1 1 1 1 - 0 7

[&]quot;EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in comformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this

^{*}EXAMINEN: Initial if reterence considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation it not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

'Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). 'Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached. This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a banefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the Individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. patent and Trademark Office, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.



Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0031
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

(use as many sheets as necessary

Sheet 1 of

Complete if Known					
Application Number 09/849736					
Filing Date	5/4/2001				
First Named Inventor	G. Glenn Henry				
Group Art Unit	2183				
Examiner Name	David Huisman				
Attorney Docket Number	CNTR.2021				

PTO/SB/08A (08-03)

	U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS							
Examiner	Cite		Publication Date	Name of Patentee or	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where			
Initials*	No.¹	Number-Kind Code ^{2[il known]}	MM-DD-YYYY	Applicant of Cited Document	Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear			
DOH		20050198481	09-08-2005	Henry et al.				
1007		20050198479	09-08-2005	Bean et al.				
		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·						
					·			
,								
•								
•		-						

	FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS						
Examiner Cite		Foreign Patent Document	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or	Pages, Columns, Lines,	T⁰	
Initials*	No.1	Country Code ³ - Number ⁴ - Kind Code ⁵ (F ATOWN)	MM-DD-YYYY	Applicant of Cited Document	Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	Ľ	
						<u> </u>	

	O		
Examiner Signature	Lad 1. Human	Date Considered	11-19-05

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant. Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). See Kind Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as Indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

If you need assistance in completing this form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 (1-800-786-9199) and select option 2.